

Gentlemen,

I am hoping to get an update from you on the status of adding the Tejon Indian tribe to the federal recognition list. I appreciate all of your efforts over the past 8 months in getting this resolved. As I understand it we are waiting for the solicitors office to get this completed.

I don't know what else we can do to help, at this point I am very frustrated. The timely manner we were told back in September 2009 has gone way past. I have tribal members asking me daily when we will have this accomplished and I don't know what to tell them.

I would appreciate a reply at your earliest opportunity.

Respectfully,

Jim Appodaca  
Vice Chairman  
Tejon Indian Tribe

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